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<u>AMENDMENTS</u>

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new claims 10-18 as follows:

10. A liquid crystal display wide viewing-angle polarizing film comprising a polarizing layer laminated on an optical compensation film and a retardation film and/or a brightness enhancement film laminated on said polarizing layer, wherein said polarizing layer is directly laminated on said optical compensation film without using an adhesive.

- 11. The liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing film according to claim 10, wherein said optical compensation film comprises a support film and an optically anisotropic layer formed of a material having a liquid-crystalline property.
- 12. The liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing film according to claim 10, wherein said polarizing layer is prepared by a lyotropic solution containing a dichroic dye.
- 13. The liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing film according to claim 10, wherein said polarizing layer is prepared by a liquid-crystal polymer solution containing a dichroic dye.
- 14. The liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing film according to claim 10, wherein a thickness of said polarizing layer is in a range of from 0.1 to 15 μ m.
- 15. The liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing film according to claim 10, wherein comprising a protective layer on a surface of said polarizing layer.
 - 16. A production method for the liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing film

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according to claim 10 comprising step of, laminating a polarizing a polarizing-layer through coating-application of a polarizing-layer forming material, and laminating a retardation film and/or a brightness enhancement film onto said polarizing layer.

- 17. A liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing adhesion film comprising the liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing film according to claim 10 and an adhesion layer for a glass-substrate surface of a liquid crystal panel.
- 18. A liquid crystal display comprising the liquid crystal display wide viewing angle polarizing adhesion film according to claim 17 adhered onto at least one side of a liquid crystal panel.